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Subject: Discontinued Reagent: Canine Coronavirus Coating Antibody

To: Biologics Licensees, Permittees, and Applicants
Veterinary Services Management Team
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The purpose of this document is to notify veterinary biologics manufacturers that Feline Infectious Peritonitis Virus (FIPV) pleural fluids, used as a coating antibody in Enzyme Linked Immunosorbent Assays (ELISAs) to quantitate the viral antigen content of killed Canine Coronavirus (CCV) vaccines, will no longer be supplied by the Center for Veterinary Biologics (CVB).

This material has been provided as a coating antibody for use in the ELISA to quantitate the viral antigen content of killed CCV vaccines described in Supplemental Assay Method 322. Supply of the current lot of FIPV pleural fluids (Lot 06-21) is dwindling and will not be replenished.

The CVB will provide interested parties with information regarding production methods for this reagent upon request. Contact the reviewer assigned to your firm if interested in obtaining additional information.

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